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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please replace the following numbered paragraphs with the following rewritten paragraphs:

[24] The base portion ~~28-22~~ defines a floor 34 bounded by a raised ledge 36. The ledge 36 of the base portion 22 preferably includes a first side 32a located perpendicular to a second side 32b. The hypotenuse side 32c of the base portion is preferably arcuate and includes a relief 33 in which a shower door (not shown) is located. A base periphery flange 38a, 38b preferably extend from the sides 32a, 32b to receive fasteners 40 such as nails which pass through the flanges 38a, 38b and into the vertical wooden studs Sv.

[28] Referring to Figure 6, the corner tab 44 preferably includes a step shape having a horizontal flat 50 which mates atop the ledge 36. The corner tab 44 thereby engages the corner portion ~~22-28~~ with the base portion 22.